



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FEDERAL FINANCIAL REPORT (FFR) AND CARRYOVER REQUIREMENTS

1. FEDERAL FINANCIAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

This is a reminder that your organization's annual <u>Federal Financial Report (SF-425)</u> is due to the Division of Grants Management (DGM) **no later than 90 days after the end of the budget period**. Per the Terms and Conditions of Award and the HHS Grants Policy Statement, a Federal Financial Report (FFR) is required to be submitted within 90 days for each 12 month budget period.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Include the official grant number in Box 2 of the FFR and on the subject line of the email.
- Annual FFRs must be submitted to the applicable email:

CSAT Grants (e.g., SM-12345-01): CSAT Grants (e.g., TI-12345-01): CSAP Grants (e.g., SP-12345-01): CSAPFR@samhsa.hhs.gov CSAPFR@samhsa.hhs.gov

> FFR Due Dates

| Budget Period End Date | FFR Due Date | |
|------------------------|---|--|
| June 30 | October 31 (extended from September 30) | |
| July 31 | October 31 | |
| August 31 | November 30 | |
| September 29 | December 30 | |

- Timely submission of accurate FFRs is a requirement of award. Failure to comply with this reporting requirement may result in the restriction of your Division of Payment Management account, delay of funds or denial of future funding.
- ➤ If your organization is considering carrying forward unobligated balances of Federal funds to the subsequent budget period, please refer to part 2 of this letter.

Additional guidance to complete the FFR can be found: http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grants-management/reporting-requirements

2. CARRYOVER REQUIREMENTS

(Recipients may either indicate <u>Intent</u> to Carryover or request a <u>Formal</u> Carryover, **but cannot request both**)

INTENT TO CARRYOVER - EXPANDED AUTHORITY

Your organization may exercise its expanded authority to carryover unobligated balances of Federal funds to the subsequent budget period when the SAMHSA grant is 1) <u>not classified as high-risk</u>, and 2) the request for the amount to carryover is <u>up to 10% of the total federal share of the current budget period (the year in which you will need the funds).</u>

If the carryover request meets the expanded authority requirements described above, your organization may carryover the unobligated balance of funds for the budget period reported in the FFR to the current budget period without prior approval from the SAMHSA Grants Management Officer.

INSTRUCTIONS

➤ Your intent must clearly be identified in Box 12 - Remarks of the annual FFR, the intent to carryover funds along with the dollar amount to be carried over. *Failure to comply with this information may result in the restriction of your Division of Payment Management account, delay of funds or denial of future funding.*

FORMAL CARRYOVER - PRIOR APPROVAL REQUESTS

Recipients that do not meet the expanded authority requirements identified above, must submit a formal carryover request to SAMHSA. INTENT does not apply to grants that are classified as High-Risk. A Formal Carryover Request **must** be submitted.

REQUEST (>10%): Submit with FFR or <u>no later than</u> the due dates reflected in the table below:

| Budget Period End Date | Annual FFR Due Date | Formal Carryover Request Due Date |
|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| June 30 | October 31 (extended | October 31 (extended |
| | from September 30) | from September 30) |
| July 31 | October 31 | October 31 |
| August 31 | November 30 | December 30 |
| September 29 | December 30 | December 30 |

Carryover requests for prior approval greater than <u>10%</u> of the Total Federal Share must be submitted electronic via email (required) to the following applicable resource email box:

❖ CMHS Grants (e.g., SM-12345-01): CMHSFFR@samhsa.hhs.gov

❖ CSAT Grants (e.g., TI-12345-01): CSATFFR@samhsa.hhs.gov

❖ <u>CSAP</u> Grants (e.g., *SP-12345-01*): <u>CSAPFFR@samhsa.hhs.gov</u>

Recipients should include the official grant number on all submissions and include in the subject line in the email.

Additional guidance to complete a formal Carryover Request is available at: http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grants-management/post-award-changes/carryover-requests

Incomplete requests, or requests not submitted by the due date identified in the table above, may not be granted. Submitting a Prior Approval Request for Carryover does not guarantee approval. Approval or denial is determined at SAMHSA's discretion.

If you need further assistance regarding the above request, please contact the Grants Management Specialist listed on your Notice of Award.

Sincerely,

Roger George

Grants Management Officer
Division of Grants Management